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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season; tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder.

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8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane in parts of Bangalore South, Devanhalli and Dodballapur Taluks and sugarcane in parts of Magadi, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Closepet Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in parts of Bangalore South and Dodballapur Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Paddy, ragi and avare in Bangalore South Taluk; ragi in Dodballapur and Devanhalli Taluks; til in parts of Magadi Taluk; potato in parts of Devanhalli Taluk and groundnut in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Black Quarter" in Jodi Nagasettyhalli of Magadi Taluk. Necessary action to check the spread of the disease is reported to have been taken.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—(1) Dry lands are being ploughed in Kolar, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks; (2) Wet lands are being ploughed in Sidlaghatta and Srinivaspur Taluks; (3) Sowing operations are going on in Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Same, groundnut, ragi, avare, thogari, jola and til, in several taluks of the District.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane paddy, ragi, avare, groundnut, thogari, giddaragi and jola are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Kolar, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Chikballapur Taluks and giddaragi in Sidlaghatta Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except (1) for "Cattle Disease" in Velagalaburre, Ballagere, Marjenahalli, Sulur and Hosakere villages of Kolar Taluk; in Konur village, Srinivaspur Taluk; Doddaganjur and Panasachavdanhalli of Chintamani Taluk; (2) "Rinderpest" in Guttur Village, Chintamani Taluk; Jinagirlu and Abakavaripalli villages of Bagepalli Taluk.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Fodder and water are generally available.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Ragi in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Sira, Tiptur, Kunigal and Kortagere Taluks; paddy in Tumkur Taluk; castor seeds in Sira, Tiptur and Kortagere Taluks; cholam in Tiptur, Kunigal, Kortagere and Turuvekere Taluks; groundnuts in Kortagere Taluk; avare in Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks; thogari in Sira and Tiptur Taluks; and horsegram in Tiptur Taluk are reported to have been sown.

Standing Crops.—Paddy in all taluks except Madhugiri and Pavagada Taluks; sugarcane in all taluks except in Sira and Tiptur Taluks; green and blackgrams in Chikanayakanhalli and Tiptur Taluks; cholam in Madhugiri, Gubbi, Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks; and groundnut in Kunigal Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in all taluks except in Tiptur, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks is reported to have been harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" in some villages of Tumkur Taluk; Kallenahalli in Gubbi Taluk; and in Hosahalli, a village in Kunigal Taluk and "Chappe Roga" in Chikkahosahalli, a village in Madhugiri Taluk and in some parts of Kortagere Taluk. Necessary remedial measures are reported to be being taken to check the spread of the disease.

Fodder and water are also reported to be available.

Public health is generally good except for the prevalence of "Malaria" and "Influenza" in parts of Pavagada Taluk. It is reported that necessary medical aid is being rendered to the sick.

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8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Paddy and hineragi in parts of Hunsur Taluk; and ragi, jola, castor, gingelly, avare, thogari and navane in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi and jola in Mysore Taluk; jola, til, thogari, castor, groundnut, sugarcane, mulberry and karpaddy in Chamarajnagar Taluk; jola, ragi, castor and thogari in Krishnarajnagar Taluk; ragi, til and jola in Heggaddevankote Taluk; jola, ragi, coriander, castor and til in Gundlupet Taluk; jola, ragi, greengram, groundnut, til, castor and cotton in Nanjangud Taluk; and sugarcane, jola, mulberry and karpaddy in T. Narsipur Taluk are reported to be good in condition.

Crops Harvested.—It is reported that karpaddy is being cut in parts of Chamarajnagar Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in parts of Heggaddevankote, Hunsur and T. Narsipur Taluks.

Fodder and water for cattle are available.

MANDYA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—It is reported that ragi in parts of French-Rocks Taluk is being sown.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in parts of all the Taluks in the District; jola crop in parts of Mandya, Malvalli, Krishnarajpet and Nagamangala Taluks; til in parts of Malvalli, Krishnarajpet and Nagamangala; castor and haraka in parts of Mandya Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—It is reported that sugarcane is being harvested in parts of Mandya Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are reported to be available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Ragi, ginger and avare are reported to have been sown in parts of Arsikere Taluk; transplantation of ragi seedlings is reported to be in progress in Alur Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi and sugarcane in Arkalgud, Hassan and Belur Taluks as well as in Alur Sub-Taluk; ginger, jola and gidda ragi in Chennarayapatna Taluk; til, jola, cotton and groundnut in Arsikere Taluk; and sugarcane in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Crops Harvested.*—Nil.

Prospects of the season are reported to be favourable.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in Chinnenahalli Village, Belur Taluk and "Blackquarter" in Kadalu village in Alur Sub-Taluk. The Veterinary Department is reported to have been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Manuring operations are going on in the Taluks of Chennagiri, Sagar and Tirthahalli.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane crops are in good condition in all the taluks.

Seeds Sown.—Paddy in all the taluks; groundnut, ragi and greengram in Honnali Taluk and ragi in Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks are being sown during the week.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Food grains are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" at Madanabhavi, Govinakovi, Honnali and Nyamathi towns and Kallur Village of Tirthahalli Taluk and "Gantukattu" disease in Algeremandri Village of Nagar Taluk. Concerned Veterinary Officers are taking necessary preventive measures.
Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on all over the district.

Crops Sown.—Coriander, greengram, tadagani and groundnut in Kadur Taluk; paddy in Mudgere Taluk and Narasimharajpur Sub-Taluk and Sringeri Jahgir Taluk are being sown.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, ragi, jola, til, etc., in Chikmagalur Taluk; til, mungarjola and sugarcane in Kadur Taluk; paddy, sugarcane and jola in Tarikere Taluk; paddy and sugarcane in some parts of Koppa Taluk; sugarcane and areca in Narasimharajpur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.
Rainfall during the week has been good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available to them throughout the district.

The Amildar, Chikmagalur Taluk, reports that there was an outbreak of "Blackquarter" to the Cattle in the Hancharavalli Village of Lakya, Hobli, Chikmagalur Taluk, and that the Veterinary Inspector was addressed to take necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of jola, til, thogari in Chellakere Taluk; paddy, cotton, groundnut and til in Davangere Taluk; cotton, jola, ragi, groundnut, til, navane, ragi in Hosdurga Taluk and groundnut in Harihar Sub-Taluk and paddy, jola, groundnut, and greengram in Chitaldrug Taluk; cotton, jola, thogari, groundnut and paddy in Jagalur Taluk are reported to be going on.

Standing Crops.—Such as mungarjola, groundnut, til, ragi, sugarcane and greengram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in parts of Hosdurga Taluk is being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" and ಗಳಲು ರೋಗ in some villages of Chitaldrug Taluk and "Blackquarter" in Thippaiahanahalli of Chellakere Taluk; Babbur Village of Hiriyur Taluk; Kardalahalli of Molakalmuru Taluk and Chikka Arakere, Bistuvalli, Salahalli, Rastemakunte, Hutchavvanahalli, Marenahalli and Bilichodu villages and "Sheep-pox" in Donehalli Village of Jagalur Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors concerned have been addressed in the matter of adopting necessary remedial measures to check the spread of the diseases.

Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

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